

Command Sergeant Major Larry H. Orvis Jr

CSM Orvis completed Basic Combat Training and Advanced Individual Training at Fort McClellan, Alabama, where he was trained for Military Occupational Specialty 31B, Military Policeman.

CSM Orvis' previous assignments were with the 630th Military Police Company, Bamberg, Germany; Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 793d Military Police Battalion, Bamberg, Germany; Law Enforcement Command, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; 40th Military Police Detachment, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; Alpha Battery, 1st Battalion, 22nd Field Artillery Regiment, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; Alpha Company, 701st Military Police Battalion, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri; 463rd Military Police Company, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri; the Early Entry Command Post, Fort Richardson, Alaska; the 164th Military Police Company, 793d Military Police Battalion, Fort Richardson, Alaska; and the 759th Military Police Battalion, Fort Carson, Colorado.



CSM Orvis has held positions of Military Police Patrolman, Gunner, Driver, Team Leader, Squad Leader, Platoon Sergeant, Drill Sergeant, Senior Instructor/Writer, Operations Sergeant, First Sergeant, Operations Sergeant Major, and Command Sergeant Major.

CSM Orvis has deployed in support of Operation Joint Endeavor and twice in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

His military education and schooling includes Basic Combat Training, Advanced Individual Training, Warrior Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course, Senior Leader Course, Drill Sergeant School Course, First Sergeants Course, Sergeants Major Course (Class 61), CSM Force Management Course, Pre-Command Course, CSM Development Course, BSTB Pre-Command Course, Antiterrorism Program Manager's Course, Antiterrorism Unit Advisor's Course, Conventional Physical Security Course, Instructor Training Course, Small Group Leader Development Course, Combat Lifesaver's Course, Cold Weather Orientation Course, Basic Combatives Course, and the Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education Course.

His civilian education includes an Associate's Degree from the University of Maryland University College and a Bachelor's Degree from Excelsior College.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (4OLC), Army Commendation Medal (1OLC), Army Achievement Medal (6OLC), Meritorious Unit Commendation (1OLC), Army Superior Unit Award, and the Drill Sergeant Identification Badge.

CSM Orvis is a member of the prestigious Sergeant Audie Murphy Club and is a recipient of the Order of the Marechaussee Award.